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(500) THE LIBRARY OF THE U.S.S.R. ACADEMY OF SCIENCES

by G. A. Čebotarev, head librarian, Leningrad.

The library of the U.S.S.R. Academy of Sciences, founded in Saint Petersburgh in 1714 by an edict of Peter the Great, has amassed during two and a half centuries a rich store of scientific works, possessing at present a total of 7.5 million books, journals and other printed matter. In addition, over 2 million volumes are housed in the academic libraries in Leningrad. The Library has exceptionally comprehensive collections of the first Russian books to be printed in non-liturgical characters (1708-23) and of works published in Russia prior to 1825. The collection also includes 717 incunabula, over 11,000 volumes of ancient Russian manuscripts, and the personal library of Peter the Great.

Since about 1860, the Library has acquired a great number of publications in Slavonic languages, constituting the largest U.S.S.R. collection of books, periodicals and papers published in these languages during the nineteenth century and the first quarter of the twentieth. It is continually adding to its collections of foreign publications—works on mathematics, physics and natural sciences being particularly well represented—and in the last few years has concentrated more particularly on the acquisition of the latest technical publications.

SERVICES FOR READERS AND SCIENTIFIC WORK

In 1955, 18,400 readers made use either of the Library of the Academy of Sciences itself or of one of its 35 branches attached to other academic institutions in Leningrad. The Library puts 40 different catalogues at the disposal of its readers, and loaned out a total of 1,271,800 books, 75,000 of which were lent to other libraries regularly subscribing to its services.

It makes studies of its richest collections and endeavours to bring them to the notice of the public. Its activities also include the improvement of the working methods of libraries, the study of the history of librarianship in the U.S.S.R., and a continuing programme of important bibliographical work.

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGES

In the last few years, the Library has considerably developed and extended its relations with foreign countries and increased its international exchange of books. At present, exchanges are made with 1,636 scientific institutions in 79 countries, in 1955 257,342 books being sent to other countries and 121,198 being received in return. Under their exchange arrangements the Library sends abroad all the publications of the Academy of Sciences dealing with physics, mathematics, natural science and the humanities.

TRANSFER TO MOSCOW OF PART OF THE LIBRARY'S COLLECTIONS

When in 1934 the U.S.S.R. Academy of Sciences was transferred from Leningrad to Moscow, a considerable part of the collections of the specialized libraries, and a smaller section of the collections of the central library, were also sent to the capital of the Soviet Union. To co-ordinate the work of all the 47 academic libraries in Moscow with a total of nearly 3 million volumes, a network of specialized libraries, directly linked with the Library of the Academy of Sciences, has been formed. In the 1930's, a vast system of academic libraries, attached to the local branches of the U.S.S.R. Academy of Sciences (Kazan, Moldavia, Eastern Siberia, Western Siberia, Kola, Yakutsk, Sakhalin, etc.) was also created. Some of the more important of these specialized scientific libraries were subsequently reorganized and attached to the Academies of Science in various Republics of the Soviet Union (e.g. the Turkmenistan and Tadzhikistan libraries).

This network of libraries associated with the U.S.S.R. Academy of Sciences is governed in general by the Libraries Commission of the Board of the Academy.

(501) THE ALL-UNION LIBRARY OF FOREIGN LITERATURE, MOSCOW

by Margarita Rudomino, head librarian.

The All-Union Library of Foreign Literature (Vsesojuznaja Gosudarstvennaja Biblioteka Inostrannoj Literatury), founded in 1921, is one of the largest libraries in the U.S.S.R. In its extensive collection of foreign books, covering a variety of fields, certain subjects are particularly well represented, such as linguistics, literary history and criticism, cultural history, and foreign art (over 50,000 volumes, in Russian and in 28 non-Russian languages). Among the literary works is a collection of 6,000 volumes, including Shakespearean studies in many languages. The Natural Sciences section, established in 1948, already consists of 210,000 books and periodicals. Of the 2,000 foreign periodicals received annually by the Library from 48 countries, half are scientific or agricultural journals.

At the beginning of 1956, the Library held more than 100,000 publications in Albanian, Bulgarian, Hungarian, Polish, Rumanian, Czech, Slovak, Chinese and Korean. Since last year, it has been making determined efforts to enrich its collection by acquiring publications in Oriental languages. It has already constituted the nucleus of a Chinese section, and is rapidly expanding the number of works in Hindi, Japanese, Korean, Persian, Arabic, Turkish, and so forth.

The Library's stocks have been increased by a large quantity of volumes secured through international exchanges with many countries. At present, it possesses nearly 2 million volumes in 62 foreign languages. Some 500,000 books are lent each year.

CATALOGUES AND SERVICES FOR READERS

All the Library's holdings are entered in catalogues, comprising over 5 million cards—a general catalogue, the usual alphabetical catalogue, a classified catalogue, a catalogue of people's names, a series of subject catalogues, and

cards for new acquisitions. All the periodicals received are also recorded in numerous card indexes, catalogues and printed lists.

The Library of Foreign Literature serves 16,000 readers, who have at their disposal special reading rooms for the consultation of works on natural, social and political science, and a general reading room with an auxiliary library and catalogues of works recommended. The lending library service for foreign literary works has special premises and a stock of 60,000 books. The inter-library subscription service, which is expanding from year to year, in 1955 sent volumes from its stocks to 956 subscribers in various towns of the Soviet Union.

The Library gives assistance and advice to 904 local libraries with a foreign books service, keeping them regularly supplied both with documentation on working methods and bibliographical publications.

BIBLIOGRAPHICAL BUREAU

Various important tasks are carried out by the Library's Bibliographical Bureau, which annually answers some 20,000 requests for information from organizations of all kinds.

A staff of specialists registers incoming foreign publications, makes out special index cards concerning foreign authors, scientific and literary developments and the various translations, and selects and assembles abstracts. All this material is classified in bibliographical filing cabinets which form the basis of the work of the Bureau and provide material for the preparation of the many bibliographical lists and information bulletins published by the Library. Between 1949 and 1955 it issued over 450 publications comprising, in all, 3,500 printed pages.

Special mention should be made of the *Svodnyj bjulleten' novyh inostrannyh knig* (General Information Bulletin on New Foreign Books), which for eight years has supplied information on books of this kind received by more than 50 co-operating libraries of the Soviet Union. It appears quarterly in two editions—one concerned with the natural sciences, medicine, technology and agriculture, and the other with the social sciences. The general catalogue of works on linguistics and methods of foreign language teaching is issued annually. Two other general catalogues—*Literaturovedenie za 5 let* (Five Years of Literary Studies) and *Iskusstovovedenie za 5 let* (Five Years of Art Criticism) (1949-53)—have also been published.

So as to inform readers about articles appearing in foreign reviews, especially in the field of the natural sciences, the Library compiles monthly classified indexes of articles on physics, chemistry, biology and agriculture.

In order to help readers as a whole, the Library issues short bio-bibliographical studies on foreign writers, presented in popular form, and sent free of charge to all the libraries of the Soviet Union with which the Library maintains close relations.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

The Library organizes exhibitions on its premises in commemoration of famous men, such as Leonardo da Vinci, Goya, Rabelais, Schiller, Mickiewicz, etc. It also arranges travelling exhibitions for display in factories, parks of rest and culture, cinemas and theatres.

Last year, meetings with foreign authors were organized in the Library's conference centre which has become very popular in Moscow, the languages used being mainly those of the foreign guests invited. Evening gatherings in memory of celebrated writers (Rudolf Nilsen, José Hernández, Lope de Vega, etc.) are also held.

Foreign-language teachers come to the Library for regular courses and lectures on linguistics and methods of teaching foreign languages. Study groups for translators also meet there regularly, while a system of teaching by means of gramophone records has been devised to help those who are learning foreign languages by themselves. The Library is also equipped with a cinema for the showing of foreign films in the original language.

STAFF

All members of the Library's staff are fully qualified and work together as a united and coherent team. Most of the 250 librarians are university graduates with a knowledge of foreign languages, and have been working in the Library for 15 or 20 years. Many members of the staff are studying for higher degrees, taking outside courses in librarianship or foreign languages, or attending Marxist-Leninist universities. In addition, the library itself seeks to improve the professional qualifications of its staff, by means of special courses for the young librarians, study groups in librarianship and bibliography, and modern language clubs. Regular bibliographical information is provided on all new books received. The Library also accepts trainees, who gain practical experience and follow a year's course in librarianship.

Thus, in all these different ways, the All-Union Library for Foreign Literature is doing its utmost to strengthen the cultural ties between the peoples of the world.

(502) INTERNATIONAL PUBLISHERS' ASSOCIATION CONGRESS, FLORENCE

The fourteenth Congress of the International Publishers' Association met in Florence from 4 to 9 June and in Rome from 10 to 11 June 1956, under the presidency of Dr. Ing. Antonio Vallardi (Italy). Over 500 delegates from member associations in 18 countries attended.

Mr. Luther Evans, Director-General of Unesco, who delivered the opening address, described some of Unesco's activities to help the free flow of books between countries. A major Unesco effort is to assist educators in the less advanced countries of Africa, Asia and America to teach people to read and write in their own languages. At the same time, Unesco is helping local publishers to prepare school textbooks and suitable follow-up publications for newly literate persons.

The Congress recommended that the International Publishers' Association should work out specific ways of bettering the international handling of the reproduction rights of illustrative material, and that publishers should watch all measures that interfere with the international flow of books and exchange information on this subject. The Association's plea for the elimination of duties and other barriers to the free flow of books, in the spirit of the Unesco agreement, was reaffirmed.

Other topics discussed included: problems of paper-back book distribution; trade statistics; censorship; and music rights.

International Publishers' Association Congress, Florence. From left to right: Mr. L. Natali, Under-Secretary of State for Press and Information (Italy), Professor La Pira, Mayor of Florence, Dr. G. Keckeis, retiring president of the Association, Dr. A Vallardi, 1956 president, and Mr. Luther H. Evans, Director-General of Unesco.

(503) UNESCO HELPS LIBRARIES

In continuation of the information published in the April and July issues of the *Bulletin* (vol. X, no. 4, item 186 and no. 7, item 394) on Unesco's efforts to assist Member States in the development of their library services, the following account briefly describes further activities in a number of countries.

Ceylon. A six-months' fellowship has been offered to Ceylon. The holder will study bibliographical and documentation services in the Netherlands.

Chile. The University of Concepción is reorganizing its library and intends to recruit an expert for a period of at least two years to help in the work. Unesco has been asked to propose suitable candidates.

Cuba. In response to a request from the Government of Cuba, arrangements are being made for a Unesco expert to be sent to Havana for a year, to give advice and help organize the National Library, for which a new building has recently been completed (See *Bulletin*, vol. IX, no. 8-9, item 448).

Egypt. Two fellowships have been offered to Egypt. The persons chosen will study at the Education Clearing House, Unesco, and then visit several European countries before returning to Cairo to organize an education clearing house in the Ministry of Education.

Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan. Mr. M. M. S. El-Akhras, librarian of the Ministry of Education, has been awarded a Unesco fellowship. He has already arrived in the United Kingdom where he is studying public library services. He will attend a library school for one year.

India. India has been offered a 6 to 9 months' fellowship to enable a suitable person to study scientific terminology in other countries.

Indonesia. In addition to the two Unesco experts already sent to Indonesia (See *Bulletin*, vol. X, no. 7, item 394), Mrs. A. Rud, children's librarian at the Statens Bibliotekstilsyn, Copenhagen (Denmark), will shortly start work in Jakarta to assist the Ministry of Education in the development of school library services in the country.

Iraq. Miss Suhayla Habib Daghistani, assistant librarian of Queen Alia College, Baghdad, has been awarded a fellowship in public librarianship. She will attend a library school in the United Kingdom, and later visit several public libraries in Europe.

Republic of Korea. The *Bulletin* has already launched an appeal for books and periodicals for several university libraries in South Korea (vol. IX, no. 2-3, item 106). In response to a further request for aid, Unesco has now offered to send an expert to Korea for six months to help organize its public library services.

Lebanon. A Unesco expert, Professor R. L. Plancke of the University of Ghent (Belgium), has been in Beirut since October 1955 helping to organize an education documentation centre and publish an educational review. In June and July 1956 Mr. W. Mustakim of the Unesco Department of Education

assisted him in his work. It is expected that Professor Plancke who, in the first instance, was asked to stay for a year, will remain in Beirut for a further period.

Pakistan. Mr. J. C. Sharp, the Unesco expert who is at present working at the Liaquat National Library, Karachi, to help establish a national bibliographical service, recently reported on the progress so far achieved.

With the aid of the National Library staff, he has already shelved in classified order several thousand books received from 1953 to 1955, and the shelving space available is now approaching congestion. As soon as further space is made available, reorganization of the quick reference collection will start. A number of essential bibliographical publications and language dictionaries, in which the collection is somewhat weak, will be ordered. The question of a new permanent building for the National Library is at present being considered by responsible authorities. There is a lack of trained library personnel and a scheme for a university course of evening classes is therefore being worked out and should start soon. The compilation of a national bibliography is at present under discussion; the material for a cumulative catalogue for the years 1947-52 is already available from the Provincial Official Gazettes which report publications deposited under the Press Registration Act.

Spain. Miss Josefina Cantó Bellod, assistant at the National Library, Madrid, and Miss R. Oliver Meroño of Archivo de la Corona de Aragón, Barcelona, have been awarded fellowships to study the conservation and restoration of library materials. They recently arrived in Rome where they will be given practical training at the Istituto di Patologia del Libro.

(504) MEDELLIN PUBLIC LIBRARY, COLOMBIA

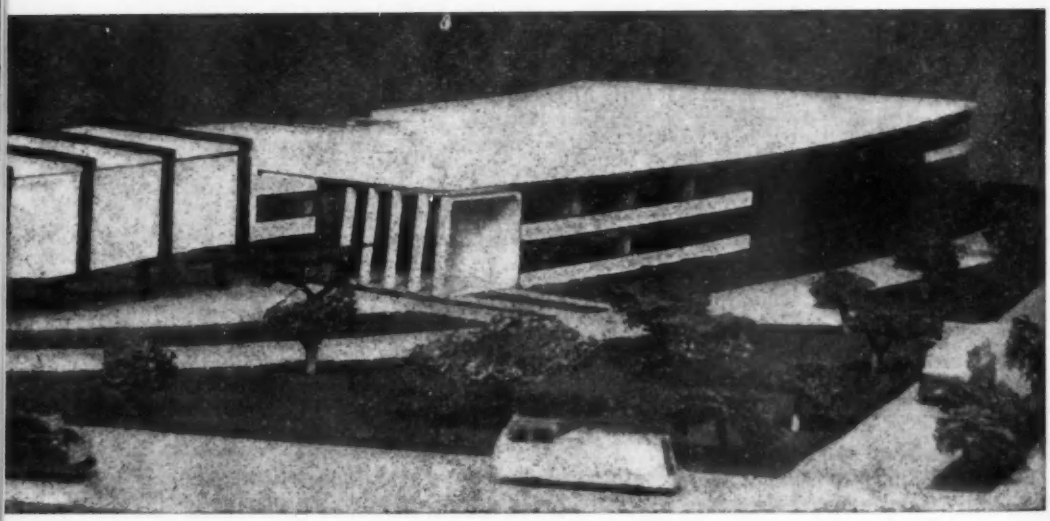
The Medellin Public Library which has been established by the Government of Colombia and Unesco as a pilot project for Latin America (see *Bulletin*, vol. IX, no. 1, item 2), is now in temporary quarters, but the present building is too small to accommodate comfortably the 225,000 readers who are using it each year.

The new building, of which we show a model below, is going up on a site of 3,450 square metres, centrally located between the old and the new sections of the city. The land was contributed by the Instituto de Credito Territorial.

The ground floor will house most of the public service departments. The first floor will contain an exhibition room, a smoking room, an auditorium seating 300 people, two smaller meeting rooms and storage space for 60,000 books. Also placed on the first floor will be the Extension (Bookmobile) Department with a book storage capacity of 30,000 volumes; the Processing Department; Public Relations Department; Educational Film Department, offices and work rooms.

The plans for the building have been prepared by Dr. Ariel Escobar and Dr. Alberto Velasquez of the Medellin City Planning Commission in collaboration with a Unesco building consultant, Mr. Charles Mohrhardt, associate director of the Public Library, Detroit, Michigan (U.S.A.).

Construction will soon begin with funds contributed by the municipality of Medellin. A substantial share of the building expenses will also be borne by the Central Government of Colombia and the Government of Antioquia. It is estimated that the building will cost approximately 1 million Colombian pesos (about $400,000).



Medellin Public Library. Model of the new building. [Photo : Medellin Public Library.]

MICROREPRODUCTION

(505) NETHERLANDS MICROFICHE FOUNDATION

The Microkaart Stichting has as its purpose the promotion and use of transparent microfiches and the technical development of microcameras, microreaders and other relevant equipment in all countries. The Foundation, a non-profit making organization, which began operations in 1955, is housed at the Delft Technological University Library, Doelenstraat 101, Delft (Netherlands).

The microfiches are standard size (9×12 cm) flat films containing a catalogue entry readable with the naked eye and, in microprint, the complete text of the book, pamphlet, thesis or other form of publication required. Short articles are exposed on a so-called microstrip which is half the size of a microfiche. Reduction is one-twelfth to one-thirtieth of the original size.

The Delft Technological University Library supplies on request microfiches of all books, periodicals, periodical articles, etc., in its collections. For filing purposes as many white-printed microfiches as required can be supplied. The reproduction laboratory has a special microfiche department equipped with a modern micro- and title-camera.

The Dagmar microreader, a cheap and easy-to-operate machine, designed especially for reading microfiches, has recently been produced by the Laboratory of Applied Physics of the Delft Technological University. The price is 250 Dutch guilders, but it is offered at cost price, 195 guilders, to scholars and at a specially reduced price of 150 guilders to students.

Further information concerning prices of microfiches and other services offered may be obtained from the Microkaart Stichting at the above address.

(506) UN DOCUMENTS IN MICROPRINT

As announced in the *Bulletin* (vol. VIII, no. 11-12, item 591), the Readex Microprint Corporation, 100 Fifth Avenue, New York 11, N.Y. (U.S.A.), produces in a microprint edition a complete, continuing, set of all the unrestricted United Nations documents republished from the official English-language United Nations Certified Set. It is prepared under the supervision of Jerome K. Wilcox, librarian, City College, New York City, with the cooperation of R. Borba de Moraes, Director of the United Nations Library, and includes the mimeographed and printed symbol series documents as well as the official records, with their annexes and supplements, of the various organs of the United Nations: the General Assembly, Security Council, Economic and Social Council, Trusteeship Council, Disarmament Commission and Atomic Energy Commission. It also includes the mimeographed and printed documents of the regional and functional commissions of the Economic and Social Council.

In addition, there is a substantial body of United Nations literature which appears only in this microprint edition of the United Nations documents: the reports received by the United Nations from member governments, non-governmental agencies, specialized agencies of the United Nations, and special commissions. They are included regardless of the original language.

For the entire set of documents for the eight years 1946 to 1953, the price

does not exceed $2,500. For each subsequent year, the price is about $250. This figure is approximate, based on a price of $2.50, per thousand pages and may vary slightly according to the output of the United Nations in any given year.

(507) THE LISTOMATIC CAMERA

The Kodak Listomatic Camera manufactured by Eastman Kodak Company, Rochester, New York (U.S.A.), facilitates the publication of repetitive lists such as catalogues, bibliographies, price lists, telephone directories, city directories, etc. This camera enables the user to maintain the directory entries on individual tabulating cards in a standard card file, where revisions, additions, and deletions are kept up to date in the usual manner. To publish the list the pre-prepared cards are run through the machine, which photographs the portion of each card containing the listing. The camera automatically photographs the listing (same size or reduced) in columns of pre-determined length, at approximately 230 cards per minute on a continuous 400-feet roll of film. This film, after normal photographic processing, is cut into columns, made up into page formats and used as the negative from which to make standard offset printing plates. It can also be used to prepare letterpress plates by means of the new high-etched metal plates and other new processes.

Further details concerning price etc., may be obtained from Commercial Controls Corporation, 1 Leighton Avenue, Rochester 2, N.Y. (U.S.A.).

(508) AERONAUTICAL REVIEWS

Facsimile reproductions are being made of 23 *Annual reports* of the Royal Aeronautical Society (1866-93) and of the first 15 volumes of the Society's *Aeronautical journal* (1897-1911). The first two volumes of *Annual reports* (1-6, 7-12) have already been published and two volumes containing the remaining reports (13-17, 18-23) will come out later this year. The 15 volumes of the *Aeronautical journal*, to be published bound in threes, will be issued at intervals up to December 1956.

Further information may be obtained from Peter Murray Hill Ltd., 73 Sloane Avenue, Chelsea, London, S.W.3 (U.K.).

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THE LIBRARY OF THE INSTITUT FRANÇAIS AT DAMASCUS

by N. Elisséeff, Secretary-General,
Institut Français, Damascus.

The Institut Français d'Études Arabes at Damascus was founded in 1922 and reorganized in 1931, when it was placed under the patronage of the University of Paris and the Académie des Inscriptions et Belles Lettres. It is a scientific institute for research and publication, similar to the French schools in Athens and Rome, its main purpose being the study of every aspect of Syrian and other local civilizations from the beginnings of Islam onwards.

The Institut contains a library specialized in Arab studies which includes a total of some 16,000 volumes, the purpose of which is to provide Arab scholars with a practical working tool that shall be as complete as possible. Apart from the Institut staff, the library is open to all scientists and research workers, both Syrian and foreign, on application to the Director. There is no lending service, but a special room is set aside for readers, some of whom are allowed access to the shelves. Two microfilm-readers form part of the equipment of the library.

COLLECTIONS

More than one-third of the book stock of some 12,000 volumes consists of works in Arabic and includes the main classical and other titles published in Syria, Egypt, the Lebanon, Iraq, India or Western countries. The Library also contains books, in many languages, on Arabic literature, philology and philosophy and on the religion, geography, history and archaeology of Islamic countries, and also a valuable collection of works by Oriental travellers. In addition there are many dictionaries, catalogues of Arabic manuscripts and encyclopaedias.

The Institut has a very fine collection of Arabic and Western periodicals (4,000 volumes), including very rare complete sets of reviews which have ceased publication. At present, over 150 periodicals dealing with Islamic civilization are received from all over the world.

Finally, there is an interesting collection of plans of Syrian towns, and several hundred British, French, German and Turkish maps of the Near East, which are classified in a special catalogue.

Several catalogues are at the reader's disposal; titles of Oriental works are transcribed, but a card index of titles in Arabic is planned.

ACCESSIONS AND EXCHANGES

Each year, the library grows by several hundred volumes, acquired either by purchase or in exchange for the Institut's publications. Since 1931, the latter has published a *Bulletin d'études orientales* at approximately two-yearly intervals in a large quarto format, and also monographs, editions of Arabic texts or translations from the Arabic, totalling at present some 60 volumes.

The exchange service, which was organized in 1931, has grown until, in 1956, over 100 learned societies connected with Arab studies and situated in many parts of the world maintain close contact with the Institut. More than one-third of the library's annual list of books and periodical accessions is due to this widespread network of exchanges.

(510) MOSUL PUBLIC LIBRARY, IRAQ

The Library was established in 1930 as a public library pilot project of the Ministry of Education to serve, *inter alia*, as a model for similar institutions to be set up in Iraq and elsewhere. It is run not only as a public library but also as a community centre which serves Mosul's cultural needs. It stimulates the reading interests of the population and helps to form among both children and adults the habit of using library services. Various cultural activities are organized to draw the public to the library.

The Library possesses a collection of 26,000 volumes, including reference works, one of the most complete law collections in Iraq, maps, and a large number of geographical works. The collection of government publications increases annually by 300 volumes, and over 1,000 periodical publications are regularly received. The Library contains more than 400 manuscripts.

Any person can register as a member if guaranteed by a responsible person. Members are entitled to borrow books for home reading.

REFERENCE AND INFORMATION SERVICES

The Library has a big reading room, open to non-members. It contains a large number of newspapers and periodicals and a collection of basic reference books available for consultation. Services of a reader's adviser are at the disposal of library users.

Readers can borrow three books at a time for home reading. Books are kept on open shelves and are freely accessible. There is an author and subject card catalogue.

SERVICES FOR CHILDREN

A children's room, equipped with pictures, picture books, etc, is provided for children under 5 years of age. Story hours and puppet shows are given. There is also a reading room, pleasantly decorated with paintings and pictures, for children between 5 and 15 years of age, containing periodicals, reference works and books for general reading on various subjects.

The children can borrow books for home reading. Children between 5 and 12 years are organized into groups for cultural interests, such as drama and music and 'literature studies'. Similar groups exist for children between 12 and 15. These groups organize musical concerts, drama, debates, etc.

PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

The Library's future programme provides for the following additional departments: Extension Services (with mobile unit, branches and deposit station); Reference and Information; Industry and Business; Local History and Travel Bureau; Music and Art; Department for the Handicapped; and schools.

NEW PUBLICATIONS

BIBLIOGRAPHY

(511) SWITZERLAND. SCHWEIZERISCHE LANDESBIBLIOTHEK. *Schweizer Bücherverzeichnis 1951-55 / Répertoire du livre suisse 1951-55 / Elenco del libro svizzero 1951-55.* Zürich, Verlag des Schweizerischen Buchhändler- und Verleger-Vereins, Seefeldstrasse 35, 1956. 1. Teil 1,022 p.; 2. Teil, 170 p. 110 Swiss francs.

Lists over 30,000 titles which appeared from 1951 to 1955 in *Das Schweizer Buch* (Series A and B). The first part enumerates titles by authors' names and anonymous works and the second contains an index of collaborators and a catchword catalogue. It is a continuation of the 1948-50 catalogue.

The Schweizerische Landesbibliothek will also issue in December 1956 a *Schlagwortregister zum Schweizer Bücherverzeichnis 1951-55 / Répertoire analytique par mots-matières du livre suisse 1951-55 / Elenco analitico secondo parole-tipo del libro svizzero 1951-55* (510 p., 85 Swiss francs). This will be an alphabetical subject catalogue of the titles in the *Schweizer Bücherverzeichnis.* For French-speaking users it will contain an extensive catalogue with references to the German subject headings under which the titles can be found.

(512) AUTTI (Aune); SIPPONEN (Kaudo). *Yhteisluettelo Suomen tieteellisissä kirjastoissa olevista ulkomaisista lainopillisista aikakaus- ja sarjajulkaisuista / Samkatalog över utländska juridiska tidskrifter och seriepublikationer i Finlands vetenskapliga bibliotek / Union list of foreign juridical journals and serial publications in the research libraries of Finland.* Helsinki, Eduskunnan kirjasto / Riksdagsbiblioteket / Library of the Parliament, 1956. 215 p. 21 × 15 cm.

This catalogue, the first number in a new series to be issued by the Finnish Library of Parliament, lists in alphabetical order of titles over 1,000 foreign serial law publications in 32 research libraries in Finland. The branch of law to which each item chiefly refers is indicated. Specific marks are used to show whether a periodical regularly publishes legal cases or bibliographical information sufficiently comprehensive for reference use. There is a systematic index with references to the main list. The list includes accessions up to September 1955, but in the case of the Library of Parliament it has been possible to record some later acquisitions. The foreword, introduction and headings are given in Finnish, Swedish and English.

(513) INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION FOR DOCUMENTATION. *60 years service 1895-1955. Catalogue 1956.* The Hague, The Federation, 6 Willem Witsenplein, 1956. 24 p. 21 × 15 cm.

This catalogue does not list all of the 300 publications issued by the Federation but only those which are still available and important for the efficient organization of a documentation department or information service. FID publications are the result of international co-operation of experts in the 37 countries members of the Federation. The list includes publications on abstracting services, classification, in general, the Universal Decimal Classification, FID congresses, documentation, information services, international organization, photocopying services and the reproduction and selection of documents. Prices are given.

(514) CONOVER (Helen F.), comp. *Introduction to Europe, Supplement, 1950-1955*. Washington, D.C., Library of Congress, General Reference and Bibliography Division, 1955. 181 p. 26×18.5 cm. $1.

Similar in scope to *Introduction to Europe* published in 1950, this selected bibliography lists 491 works suggested as background reading on European countries, designed to provide a rounded acquaintance with Europe and its problems. Entries are arranged by area and by individual country, in most cases with sub-sections on land and people, history, the contemporary political and economic scene, and cultural aspects. Short annotations indicate the type of information to be found in each book or article.

(515) LEBEDEV (D. V.). *Vvedenie v botaničeskuju literaturu SSSR. Posobie dlja geobotanikov* (Introduction to botanical literature of the U.S.S.R. Manual for geobotanists). Moskva-Leningrad, Akademija Nauk SSSR, Botaničeskij Institut im. V. L. Komarova, 1956. 382 p. 23×15 cm. 16.4 roubles.

This work, the first of its kind, is a select bibliography of Russian botanical literature, including publications issued outside the U.S.S.R. It lists bibliographies, surveys, dictionaries, research studies by Soviet scientists, and important monographs and articles issued during the last 25 years. It includes not only geobotanical and flora literature but also basic material on physical geography, geology, geomorphology, climatology, meteorology and forestry. Arrangement is by subject and there are indexes of authors and of titles of collective works.

(516) PHILIPPINES. UNESCO NATIONAL COMMISSION. *Publications of educational institutions and organizations in the Philippines*. Manila, The Commission, 1580 Taft Avenue, 1954. 47 p. 21.5×14 cm. (Publication no. 5.)

This list of publications issued by educational institutions and organizations in the Philippines is the result of a survey carried out by the Unesco National Commission in 1953. Entries are arranged alphabetically by title and give the following information about each publication: name and address of publisher, type of publication (magazine, tabloid, etc.), frequency, language, regular features, subscription price, and whether it is available for exchange. Of the 177 titles listed 166 are marked as being available for exchange. There is a list of publications classified by subjects, a list arranged according to levels of instruction, and an index to publishers.

(517) OSLO. UNIVERSITETSBIBLIOTEKET. *Katalog. Minneutstilling Henrik Ibsen. 23 mai 1956*. Oslo, Universitetsbiblioteket, 1956. 119 p. 24.5×16 cm.

The Royal University Library, Oslo, is the central repository for all Ibsen research in Norway and abroad. The memorial exhibition it held in May 1956 in collaboration with the Teatermuseum was intended to display the Library's own collections of written and printed material. Some hitherto unknown material was displayed for the first time. The catalogue, which is arranged in chronological order, lists 700 manuscripts, letters, first editions of dramas and poems, material relating to the history of stage productions, and bibliography. The foreword is in Norwegian and English and there is an article in English, 'Ibsen—the Man and the Dramatist', by Francis Bull.

(518) NEW YORK STATE LIBRARY. *Checklist in the social sciences*. Albany, The Library, 1956. 142 p. 39×27 cm.

To provide users with up-to-date information concerning its holdings the New York State Library has produced this checklist of its books and pamphlets in the social sciences, including anthropology, economics, philosophy, political science, psychology and welfare (not education, history or law). The list

enumerates over 40,000 publications, giving author, title and Dewey decimal class number. It has been prepared as a pilot project from punched cards arranged roughly by machine and then finally filed by hand. From these cards copy was typed, reduced in size and printed by photo-offset. It is hoped to issue supplements at short intervals, and every few years to merge the supplementary cards with the basic file and to run off a new edition of the complete catalogue.

(519) GREECE. DIRECTORATE OF LETTERS. *Bulletin for the exchange of Greek official publications.* Vol. I, no. 1, January-March 1956. Athens, The Directorate, 12 p. 24.5×17 cm. Drs.15; $0.25. Available from the Office for Exchange of Official Publications, 2 Evanghelistrias Street, Athens.

Prepared by the Greek Office for Exchange of Official Publications, this quarterly bulletin is issued to help the promotion of direct exchanges of Greek official publications with other countries with which the Greek Government has bilateral agreements. The first issue contains over 100 titles, in English translation, published in the first quarter of 1956. Unless otherwise stated, the publications are in Greek. The titles are arranged under ministries followed by their official divisions and extension services and under non-governmental organizations, institutions and societies.

LIBRARIANSHIP

(520) UNESCO. *International rules for the cataloguing of educational, scientific and cultural films and filmstrips on 3″×5″ (7.5 cm×12.5 cm) cards.* Preliminary edition. Paris, Unesco 1956. 54 p. $0.40; 2s.; 100 Fr.fr. (*Reports and papers on mass communication*, no. 17.)

A short description of the Unesco proposals for the cataloguing of films and filmstrips appeared in the *Bulletin* (vol. IX, no. 5-6, May-June 1955). This preliminary edition describes the system in detail. The first part deals with the different types of cards; added entries, card reference numbers, and the filing system on which they are based; margins on cards; descriptive catalogue cards for the original version and for the foreign language versions; evaluation cards; availability cards for international and national use; data and evaluation sheets; an example of a complete set of cards and sheets; and catalogues in the form of lists. The second part sets out the rules for descriptive cataloguing of original and foreign language versions, rules for recording evaluation data, availability data, international and national availability data, and rules for the assignment of card reference numbers. It also contains specifications for 3×5 in (7.5×12.5 cm) cards and rules for the completion of the data sheet.

(521) SAYERS (W. C. Berwick). *A Manual of classification for librarians and bibliographers.* 3rd edition revised. London, Grafton, 51 Great Russell Street, 1955. xviii+346 p. 42s.

This manual deals with the theory of classification; history and description of library classification, with detailed explanations of the systems of Brunet, Dewey, Cutter, Brown, the Library of Congress, Bliss and Ranganathan's Colon Classification; and practical work of classification—how it affects library methods, how it is applied to shelf arrangement, book display, catalogues, files, clippings, maps, deeds, and other library materials and operations. There are a number of illustrations, a bibliography and an index.

(522) SHERA (Jesse H.); EGAN (Margaret E.). *The Classified catalog. Basic principles and practices.* Chicago, American Library Association, 50 East Huron Street, 1956. 160 p. Cloth $4.

This first American work on the classified form of subject catalogue considers all phases of the problem, from a theoretical approach to its nature and function and general principles for the construction of a classification scheme to concrete rules for the establishment and maintenance of a classified catalogue.

(523) SYDNEY. PUBLIC LIBRARY OF NEW SOUTH WALES. *A General introduction to library practice; with supplements on school library practice and general reference and special library practice.* Sydney, The Public Library, Macquarie Street, 1955. 141 p. 33×20 cm.

Intended for cadet librarians, library school students and people who may be put in charge of small libraries, the revised edition of this general introduction to library practice contains chapters on: planning and equipment; book selection; ordering, accessioning and taking stock; classification; cataloguing; shelf arrangement and the shelf list; preparing the book for use; charging records; special material; reference books and reference work; and organizing a collection.

The supplement on school library practice deals with the same problems in so far as they concern school libraries and contains additional chapters on travelling or box libraries; fiction; books for very young children; a suggested outline of a course of instruction in library method for schools; supervised subject study in the library; and the functions of a school librarian. The second supplement on general reference and special library practice discusses the administration, planning and equipment of special libraries; selection and acquisition; classifying and cataloguing; vertical files and periodicals; reference work; organizing a collection; and annotations and abstracts. There is a general index.

(524) U.S.S.R. BIBLIOTEKA AKADEMII NAUK SSSR I FUNDAMENTAL'NAJA BIBLIOTEKA OBŠČESTVENNYH NAUK AKADEMII NAUK SSSR. *Trudy Biblioteki Akademii Nauk SSSR i Fundamental'noj Biblioteki Obščestvennyh Nauk AN SSSR* (Transactions of the Library of the Academy of Sciences of the U.S.S.R. and of the Fundamental Social Sciences Library of the Academy of Sciences. . .). Moskva-Leningrad, Izdatel'stvo Akademii Nauk SSSR, 1955. Tom II. 242 p. 26.5×18 cm. 9.6 roubles.

This is the second volume in the series 'Transactions of the Library of the Academy of Sciences of the U.S.S.R.', of which the first volume appeared in 1948. It describes the collections in the Academy's libraries and scientific research being carried out in them, including articles on the manuscript collections of the Leningrad Library, Russian and old Slavonic books of the fifteenth to eighteenth centuries housed in the Manuscripts and Rare Books Division, the Library's cartographic collection, bibliographies of Soviet literature, historical and scientific literature, chemical, physical and mathematical literature, and foreign official publications. There are surveys of the scientific libraries of the Academy in Leningrad, the Pushkin House of the Institute of Russian Literature, and United Nations publications.

(525) SPAIN. DIRECCIÓN GENERAL DE ARCHIVOS Y BIBLIOTECAS. *Boletín.* Año V, núm. XXXVI, Enero-Marzo 1956. Madrid, La Dirección, Ministerio de Educación Nacional, Alcalá 34. 256 p.+xcvi

The January-March 1956 number of the *Boletín* contains a comprehensive survey of all aspects of Spanish library and archival work. It describes the organization, functions and activities of the Directorate-General of Archives and Libraries and its various organs, the national reading service for the promotion and diffusion of books, the 'Houses of Culture', and sections for bibliographical and documentation work, microphotography, professional training,

publications, copyright and international exchange. The section on archives outlines Spanish archival policy, and describes some of the important archival collections. The section on libraries describes the National Library, university and research, children's and travelling libraries, library extension work, etc. There is a list of library legislation promulgated from 1952 to 1955, and a summary of contents, a list of illustrations and an index of proper names which have appeared in the 34 numbers of the *Boletín* issued to date. The volume is illustrated with numerous photographs, plans, diagrams and coloured pictographs.

(526) KAZEM (Medhat). *Library developments in the new world.* Cairo, Dar el Hana Printing and Publishing House, 1956. 126 p. 19×14 cm.

The author, a librarian at the Egyptian National Library, spent some months in 1955 in the U.S.A. The book, in Arabic, describes American public library services, with particular reference to the Akron (Ohio) Public Library where Mr. Kazem studied for three months. It contains information on the various departments of the Library—ordering and cataloguing, group service, film, adult service, business and labour service, general reference, children's circulation, extension, and branch libraries. The preface, table of contents and the American Library Bill of Rights are in English.

(527) PERRY (James W.); KENT (Allen); BERRY (Madeleine M.). *Machine literature searching.* New York 1, Interscience Publishers Inc., 250 Fifth Avenue, 1956. 174 p. $4.

In all branches of science, the amount of literature is now so enormous and is growing so rapidly that a literature search is a laborious and often unsatisfactory undertaking. Machines are now available for retrieving information which is 'buried' in the literature. This book, by three specialists in communication, describes the theory underlying these machines, and the technique of making the best use of them.

REFERENCE WORKS

(528) *The British Commonwealth 1956.* London, Europa Publications Ltd., 56 Bloomsbury Street, 1956. 918 p. 25×20 cm. £5.5s. net.

This first edition of a reference work on the British Commonwealth of Nations contains for each country or area articles on its geography, history and economic conditions. These articles are written by experts and many of them are signed. Then follow sections containing detailed and up-to-date information on political, legal and religious affairs, banks, chambers of commerce and other trade associations, trade unions, transport undertakings, newspapers and periodicals, publishers, libraries, universities and colleges, research institutes and many other organizations.

(529) *Minerva Jahrbuch der Gelehrten Welt.* 34. Jahrgang. *Abteilung Universitäten und Fachhochschulen.* II. Band: *Aussereuropa.* Berlin W 35, Walter de Gruyter & Co., Genthiner Strasse 13, 1956. 2 vols. 8vo. liii+2,355 p.

The first volume, dealing with European institutions, of the new edition of this well-known reference work appeared in 1952. This second volume contains up-to-date information on the history, administration, aims and possibilities of some 3,000 universities, technological institutions, medical schools and other academic institutions of all non-European countries, and lists the names of over 100,000 academic professors. There is a subject index.

(530) BARKER (R. E.). *Books for all: a study of international book trade.* Paris, Unesco, 1956. 102 p. 26.5×21 cm. $3; 15s.; 750 Fr.fr.

After a description of book trade organization in various States and comparative statistics on book production in 60 countries, there are chapters on existing trade barriers to the free flow of books and the efforts being made by Unesco, the International Publishers Association, the International PEN Club and other international organizations to overcome them; means and cost of transport, and the work of the Universal Postal Union and Unesco to reduce postal rates for printed matter; copyright and existing international copyright conventions; language and literacy, including comparative statistics on translations and on illiteracy in various parts of the world; and finally, the important part played by libraries and exchanges in the international flow of books. Ten pictographs illustrate the different chapters, and annexes contain a list of associations of publishers, booksellers and libraries and their periodicals, book exchange statistics in 17 countries, and a list of existing trade barriers to the flow of books. Bibliography and index. The French edition will appear in December 1956.

(531) SHEEL (P.). *Scientific institutions and documentation in South and South-East Asian countries. Tour report (January-February, 1956).* New Delhi, Indian National Scientific Documentation Centre, National Physical Laboratory, Hillside Road, 1956. 36 p. 28×21.5 cm. Mimeo.

The Indian National Scientific Documentation Centre (INSDOC), established in 1952 by the Government of India with the technical assistance of Unesco, extends its scientific documentation facilities to neighbouring countries. Early this year the author, Director of INSDOC, visited 50 scientific organizations in Burma, Thailand, Hong Kong, Philippines, Indonesia, Malaya, Ceylon, and Japan, in order to make INSDOC's services known to them and to encourage them to establish permanent contact with INSDOC. This report contains brief descriptions of the library and scientific documentation services of these institutions. An appendix lists the names of their officers.

PRE-PUBLICATION SUBSCRIPTIONS

(532) *L'Architecture religieuse baroque au Brésil*, by Germain Bazin, head curator of the Louvre, consists of two volumes. The first contains an analytical study of all aspects of the architecture and decoration of Brazilian churches in every part of Brazil, from the end of the sixteenth century to the early nineteenth century. The author describes building processes, the organization and conditions of work, provincial churches and monuments, monastic traditions and the origin of the parish church as a specific type.

The second volume will include all the historical and bibliographical references, in the form of 300 entries which are really monographs on the churches concerned, classified both topographically and alphabetically, to form a complete inventory. The 180 plates, reproducing some 500 documents, will follow the inventory. To facilitate the use of this work, marginal references to the entries and plates in the second volume will be given.

The complete work will thus consist of two bound volumes (22×28 cm) with illustrated covers. The first volume, which came out in June 1956, has 384 pages, with 120 illustrations in the text, showing plans, elevations and sections of the buildings, and also contains four full-page maps. Volume II is to be published before the end of 1956. Subscription price for the two volumes is 9,000 Fr.fr. until the publication of volume II, when the price will be 10,800 fr. Orders should be sent to: Editions d'Histoire et d'Art, Librairie Plon, 20 rue Visconti, Paris-6e, France.

NEWS AND INFORMATION

(533) CENTRE FOR THE HISTORY OF THE ART AND CIVILIZATION OF ANCIENT EGYPT

In September-October 1955, under an agreement signed by Unesco and the Government of the Egyptian Republic, a Documentation and Study Centre for the History of the Art and Civilization of Ancient Egypt was established in Cairo. The Administrator-General is Professor Mustapha Amer, director-general of the Egyptian Antiquities Department, Cairo.

The Centre's main task is to carry out the systematic cataloguing of every surviving vestige of Egyptian art. As soon as it has been catalogued, all the scientific material will be made available to scholars and research workers all over the world.

The Centre will shortly begin publishing leaflets, paper-bound books and brochures containing documentary material; a series of archaeological and historical maps; postcards, each bearing a brief description of the item it reproduces; and educational textbooks and regional guides for tourists. Educational films will also be produced for use in Egyptian secondary schools and for teaching purposes in general.

FINANCING AND ADMINISTRATION

The Centre, which receives an annual subvention from the Egyptian Government, is attached to the Ministry of Education and administered by a Board of Governors, with the Minister as chairman. It is at present housed in temporary quarters in the palace of Princess Ziba Hassan on Rodah Island, Cairo. The Egyptian Government has provided funds for the building of new premises in Cairo, work on which has already begun.

Unesco has contributed a full range of specially designed modern equipment, including apparatus for the difficult photographic work. In addition, it is providing foreign experts both for field work and for scientific research at the Centre itself.

FIRST EXPEDITION

The first area in which field work has been undertaken by the Centre is Nubia, threatened with flooding by the scheme for the building of the High Dam at Sadd el Ali, upstream from Aswan. From December 1955 to April 1956 Egyptian and foreign experts carried out photographic, graphic and epigraphic documentation work on the magnificent rock temples of Rameses II and his queen, Nefertari, on the Abu Simbel creek—which have not yet been dealt with by a comprehensive publication. It is hoped to publish shortly the results of this first campaign.

Further expeditions will continue work on other monuments in Nubia.

(534) ARAB SCIENCE UNION

One of the decisions made by the first Arab Science Congress held at Alexandria in 1953 was to establish an Arab Science Union. A Committee was subsequently formed to draw up draft statutes for the Union, which were approved at a meeting at Beit Mary, Lebanon, in September 1954. In accordance with these statutes, the Board of the Arab Science Union was set up, consisting of three representatives from national science unions in Arab countries. So far science unions exist in Egypt, Jordan, Syria and Iraq. The Egyptian Science Union includes representatives of twenty scientific associations, that of Iraq nine, Syria four and Jordan one. It is hoped that other Arab countries will form national unions of scientific associations and become members of the Arab Science Union.

At a meeting of the Board from 29 March to 3 April 1956, an executive committee was elected as follows: President: M. Nazif, rector of A'in Shams University, Cairo; Vice-Presidents: K. Tokan

(Jordan), W. Samman (Syria) and M. Aarif (Iraq); General Secretary: A. H. Montasir, dean, Faculty of Science, A'in Shams University, Cairo; Treasurer: I. H. Abdal Rahman.

The Board decided to issue a scientific magazine and a prospectus of scientific associations in Arab countries; to study the Unesco programme in natural sciences and the problem of the standardization of Arabic translation of scientific terms; to study the reports on the International Geophysical Year (1957-58); and to hold the third Arab Science Congress in the Lebanon in 1957. The programme of this Congress will include: presentation of a number of scientific research papers, Arabic translation of scientific terms, arid zones problems, petroleum, oils and fats in Arab countries, and the use of atomic energy.

(535) POSTAL CONCESSIONS IN THE MIDDLE EAST

The Annual Congress of the Arab Postal Union, held at Baghdad from 2 to 20 March 1956, adopted suggestions submitted by Unesco tending to reduce tariffs on newspapers, periodicals, books, printers' proofs, press articles and photographs sent by newspaper correspondents, museum guides, correspondence between schoolchildren, and films and filmstrips of an educational, scientific and cultural character. The Congress urged postal administrations in member countries of the Union to grant these concessions. The Congress also urged members of the Union to participate in the arrangement concluded under the auspices of the Universal Postal Union whereby subscriptions to newspapers and periodicals can be paid in national currency at local postal offices (see *Bulletin*, vol. X, no. 5-6, item 261).

(536) CENTRE FOR SCIENTIFIC TERMINOLOGY, CAIRO

The programme of Unesco includes a resolution authorizing the Director-General 'to afford Member States aid in regard to scientific terminology'. Under this authority, responding to a request of the Egyptian Government, Mr. R. W. Jumpelt (vice-president of the International Federation of Translators), has now carried out his advisory mission in Cairo, which resulted in the establishment there, in November 1955, of the Centre for Scientific Terminology which is located at the National Research Council of Egypt (Tahrir Street, Dokki, Cairo). It is at present sponsored by the Egyptian Science Association, but will later be integrated into the Arab Science Union, and will act as a clearing house of terminological information among Arab countries.

An English-Arabic systematic glossary of definitions and terms used in theoretical physics was undertaken as a pilot project. It is based mainly on sources elaborated by national standards institutions in 12 countries. The definitions were translated into Arabic by a team of professors in physics and mathematics from the Cairo University. The glossary is the first to be processed according to the technique and procedure evolved by Unesco, whereby the layout of record cards permits direct reproduction on microfilm, from which either photostat copies or offset plates can be made at low cost.

(537) INTER-AMERICAN CULTURAL CONFERENCE, LIMA

The second Inter-American Cultural Council of the Organization of American States (OAS) met from 2 to 12 May 1956 in Lima (Peru). Twelve American states were represented at the meeting. General Juan Mendoza, Peruvian Minister of Education, was elected chairman. The Council adopted a number of recommendations, including the following which concern the development of library services.

GENERAL LIBRARY DEVELOPMENT

The Council recommended to the Board of the Organization of American States that: the Pan-American Union should co-ordinate its activities for the development of American libraries with those carried out by Unesco and other national and international institutions; the Union, in collaboration with Unesco and other national or inter-

national organizations, should continue to sponsor specialized meetings and conferences to discuss American library problems; when drawing up their public library development programmes, governments of Member States should consider using the experience gained from the Medellin Public Library pilot project.

BIBLIOGRAPHY

The Council recommended that the Pan-American Union should strengthen the work of the Inter-American Committee on Bibliography to enable its respective correspondents to help in the preparation of national bibliographies and to collaborate with the International Advisory Committee on Bibliography of Unesco and other national institutions in the promotion of bibliographical activities such as the *Bibliografía de Centro América y del Caribe* (see *Bulletin*, vol. X, no. 8-9, item 470).

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE OF PUBLICATIONS

As to the exchange of publications and scientific material, the Council recommended that the Pan-American Union should study the problem, and in particular try to solve the currency difficulties involved in the payment of transport costs. With a view to the possible revision of the 1936 Inter-American Convention on Exchange of Publications, the Union should collect and diffuse information on exchange activities in the American continent. The Council also urged the Pan-American Union to do all in its power to promote the signing of bilateral agreements for the exchange of publications; to promote, in collaboration with Unesco, the creation of national exchange centres; to organize seminars and conferences for the improvement of exchange relations; and to participate in the Latin-American Regional Meeting of Experts on the Exchange of Publications to be held under the auspices of Unesco at Havana in October 1956.

(538) AMERICAN BOOK EXPORT GROUP

The American university presses of Columbia, Cornell, Harvard, Princeton, and Yale, together with the Silver Burdett Company and the D. Van Nostrand Company Inc., have formed the Informational Book Export Group (IBEG), a co-operative sales group organized for the promotion and sale of publications to foreign markets. Through the services offered by the IBEG booksellers in Africa, Asia, Central and South America, the Near East (except Israel and Turkey), and the Pacific and Caribbean countries can group their orders and payments and send them to the IBEG headquarters for distribution to member presses.

One of the main goals of the group is to provide booksellers and potential customers in its area of operation with up to date and practical information about current books and back titles of member presses. To this end, the group issues every three months a catalogue describing the important books to be published by member presses in the subsequent quarter of the year. The first of these group catalogues, describing books published from June to September 1956, was despatched in May.

Further information about this scheme may be obtained from the Informational Book Export Group, Post Office Box 231, Princeton, New Jersey, U.S.A.

(539) A LIBRARY ON THE FEDERAL IDEA

To commemorate the late Lionel Curtis, and the influential position he came to occupy as an advocate of the need to explore solutions to international problems which involve some merging of national sovereignty, the Federal Educational and Research Trust, London (U.K.), has launched an appeal for the establishment of a specialized library to provide facilities for study and research.

The field to be covered by the library would be: the problems and possibilities of a new and stronger structure for the international community which, by the application of the federal principle, could embrace a great diversity of peoples and ways of life. A small collection of books concerned with international law and international government was left to the Trust a short while ago. These have now been catalogued and could form a beginning from which a library of the kind proposed could be built up.

The trustees feel that the library could

provide an invaluable centre for the activities of the growing number of talented young people who are prepared to devote some of their time to the exploration of the role which might be played by supra-national authorities of one kind or another in the solution of many international problems. Their appeal is for a sum of £3,000, or for an annual income under covenants of some £450. Donations of suitable books or collections of books would also be most welcome. The offices of the Federal Educational and Research Trust are at 20 Buckingham Street, London, W.C.2., England.

(540) THE HUNGARIAN ENCYCLOPAEDIA

The Hungarian Academy of Sciences is at present preparing the *Hungarian encyclopaedia*, in 24 volumes, to be issued between 1959 and 1965. It will be the latest in a long succession of encyclopaedias, the first of which, the *Magyar encyclopaedia*, compiled by the Hungarian pastor, professor and follower of Descartes, Jean Apáczai-Csere, a former student of the University of Utrecht, appeared in 1655, and was followed by 41 general encyclopaedias and nearly 150 biographical or specialized dictionaries.

The new *Hungarian encyclopaedia* aims at bringing within the reach of all knowledge of the different aspects of Hungarian, and of world civilization in general. The work will stress the relationship between the different fields of learning, as illustrated by the history of science. It will embody 100,000 to 120,000 articles and 15,000 to 18,000 illustrations, including 220 maps in colour, 1,000 full-page plates (700 in colour) and 2,500 prints.

Concurrently with this work, a *Small universal encyclopaedic dictionary*, in two volumes, is in preparation, to be published in 1958. This will be, so to speak, a popular adaptation of the large *Hungarian encyclopaedia*.

In 1967 or later, it is hoped that it will be possible to publish a two-volume edition of the *Encyclopaedia Hungarica*, in Russian, English, French and German, which will include all the articles on Hungary, and more particularly on its history and civilization, from the complete edition.

NEW PERIODICALS

(541) SWITZERLAND

The Libraries Division of Unesco will be glad to receive national lists of new periodicals from national library authorities or Unesco National Commissions. As space permits, it will publish them in the *Bulletin*.

A select list of current Swiss periodicals which first appeared during the period 1952-55 is given below. The list, which supplements the one previously published in the *Bulletin*, vol. IX, no. 5-6, item 302, has been supplied by the Bibliothèque Nationale Suisse, Hallwylstrasse 15, Berne. Information concerning each periodical is given in the following order: title, place of publication, publisher, frequency, size, date of first issue, annual subscription in Swiss francs.

Abbreviations: b.an. = semi-annual, irr. = irregular, m. = monthly, 2m. = bi-monthly, 3m. = quarterly.

GENERAL

Ja. Monatsschrift für menschliche Begegnung. Aarau, H. R. Sauerländer; m.; 4to; May 1955; 21.60 fr.

RELIGION

Church and society. A bulletin on social questions. Geneva, 17 route de Malagnou, Study Department, World Council of Churches; 4 or 5 times a year; 8vo; Nov. 1953; 4 fr.

World council of churches, division of studies. Bulletin. Geneva, 17 route de Malagnou, World Council of Churches; b.an., (March and Oct.); Mar. 1955; 8vo; 2 fr.

SOCIAL SCIENCES

Conseil des communes d'Europe. Bulletin d'information. Genève, Parc Moynier, Secrétariat général du CCE, Maison des communes d'Europe; m.; 4to; Apr. 1952; also in English, German and Italian.

Économie et cinéma. Études et informations économiques, financières, juridiques. Lausanne, 13, place de la Palud, Gamma Film Internationale S.A.; 2m.; 8vo; Jan.-Feb. 1955.

Die Wirtschaft. Schweiz. Monatsschrift für Politik, Industrie and Handel. Genf, Universum Press, Wyler & Co.; m.; 4to; Dec. 1955; 20 fr.

Zivilschutz. Schweizerische Zeitschrift für Schutz und Betreuung der Zivilbevölkerung im Kriegs- und Katastrophenfall. Bern, Taubenstr. 8, Schweizer. Bund für Zivilschutz; 2m.; 4to; Summer 1954.

MEDICINE

Schweizerische Zeitschrift für Homöopathie/ Journal suisse d'homoeopathie. Organ des Schweizerischen Vereins Homöopathischer Ärzte/Organe de la Société Suisse des Médecins Homoepathes. Bern-Bümpliz, Benteli AG.; 3m.; 8vo; July 1955; 10 fr. (abroad, 12 fr.).

Urologia internationalis (Internationale Zeitschrift für Urologie). Basel, S. Karger; m.; 8vo; July 1955; semi-annual subscription, 48 fr.

APPLIED SCIENCE

Eidgenössische Anstalt für das forstliche Versuchswesen. Kurzmitteilung. Zürich, Eidgenössische Anstalt für das forstliche Versuchswesen; irr.; 4to; July 1953.

Public relations-revue. Hrg.: von der Schweizer. Public Relations-Gesellschaft. St. Gallen, Zollikofer & Co.; 3m.; 4to; June 1954; 10 fr. (abroad, 15 fr.).

The Swiss watch (Die Schweizer Uhr/ La montre suisse). Soleure, Vogt-Schild Ltd.; m.; 4to; Jan. 1955; 20 fr. (abroad 24 fr.). Formerly: *Die Schweizer Uhr.*

UGRA-Bulletin. Hrg. vom Verein zur Förderung wissenschaftlicher Untersuchungen im graphischen Gewerbe/ Ed. par l'Association d'encouragement aux recherches scientifiques pour le développement des arts graphiques; Zürich, Hauptpostfach 575, Sekretariat der UGRA; irr.; 4to; Apr. 1955.

FINE AND APPLIED ARTS, SPORT

Berg, Schnee, Fels. Internationale Alpinisten-Zeitschrift. Lausanne, J. Marguerat S.A.; b.an.; 4to; July 1955; 16 fr. (abroad, 18 fr.).

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NATIONAL EXCHANGE CENTRES

The following national centres for the international exchange of publications co-operate with the Unesco Clearing House for Libraries in making available lists of publications offered for free distribution and exchange by libraries and other institutions.

Questions concerning the development of exchanges of publications in these countries should be sent directly to each Centre at the address given below.

AUSTRALIA
Commonwealth National Library, Commonwealth Publications Exchange Agency, CANBERRA, A.C.T.

AUSTRIA
Internationale Austauschstelle, Oesterreichische Nationalbibliothek, Josefplatz 1, WIEN.

BELGIUM
International Exchange Service, Bibliothèque Royale, 5 rue de la Régence, BRUXELLES.

BRAZIL
Seção de Permuta Internacional, Biblioteca Nacional, av. Rio Branco 219/239, RIO DE JANEIRO.

BULGARIA
Bibliothèque d'État 'Vassil Kolarov', Tolbukbin 11, SOFIA.

CANADA
National Library, Public Archives Building, OTTAWA 2.

DENMARK
Danmarks Institut for International Udveksling af Videnskabelige Publikationer (IDE), Det Kongelige Bibliotek, KØBENHAVN K.

FRANCE
International Exchange Service, Bibliothèque nationale, 65 rue de Richelieu, PARIS.

FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
Internationale Austauschstelle, Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft, Frankengraben 40, BAD GODESBERG B/BONN.

GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC
Internationale Austauschstelle, Deutsche Staatsbibliothek, Unter den Linden 8, BERLIN, N.W.7.

GREECE
Ministry of National Education, Directorate of Letters, Library, 2 Evanghelistrias, ATHENS.

GUATEMALA
International Exchange Service, Biblioteca Nacional, 10a, Calle 9-31, GUATEMALA.

HUNGARY
International Exchange Service, Orgzágos Széchényi Könyvtár (Széchényi National Library), Museum-Körut 14-16, BUDAPEST VIII.

INDIA
National Library, Belvedere, CALCUTTA.

IRAN
Service des échanges internationaux, Kétab Khané e Melli, 74 Ghavam-Saltaneh, TEHERAN.

IRAQ
Department of Cultural Exchange, Directorate General of Cultural Affairs, Ministry of Education, BAGHDAD.

ISRAEL
International Exchange Centre, Jewish National and University Library, P.O.B. 503, JERUSALEM.

ITALY
Ufficio per gli scambi internazionali, Via Milano 72-76, ROMA.

JAPAN
International Exchange Service, National Diet Library, TOKYO.

LUXEMBOURG
International Exchange Service, Bibliothèque nationale, 14a boulevard Royal, LUXEMBOURG.

MEXICO
Centro de Documentación Científica y Técnica, Plaza de la Ciudadela No. 6, MEXICO, D.F.

NETHERLANDS
International Exchange Service, Koninklijke Bibliotheek, Kazernestraat 39, 's-GRAVENHAGE.

NORWAY
International Exchange Service, Universitetsbiblioteket, 42b Drammensvegen, OSLO.

PAKISTAN
International Exchange Service, Directorate of Archives and Libraries, Government of Pakistan, Block No. 76, KARACHI.

PHILIPPINES
Committee on the Exchange of Informational Materials, c/o Unesco National Commission, 1580 Taft Ave., MANILA.

POLAND
Service Polonais des Échanges Internationaux, ul. Okolnik 9, WARSZAWA.

PORTUGAL
International Exchange Service, Biblioteca Nacional, LISBOA.

SPAIN
Servicio Nacional de Lectura, Cambio Internacional de Publicaciones, avenida de Calvo Sotelo 20 (Biblioteca Nacional), MADRID.

SWEDEN
Kungliga Biblioteket, STOCKHOLM 5.

SYRIA
Service des échanges internationaux, Direction des Relations Culturelles, Ministère de l'Instruction Publique, DAMAS.

TURKEY
International Exchange Service, Bibliographical Institute, National Library, Milli Kütuphane, ANKARA.

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA
Office of the Chief Librarian, Department of Education, Arts and Science, Van der Stel Buildings, PRETORIA.

YUGOSLAVIA
International Exchange Centre, Bibliografski Institut FNRJ, Terazije 26, BEOGRAD.

EXCHANGE

The exchange offers listed below supplement material published in the *Handbook on the international exchange of publications*, 2nd edition (see outside back cover). Libraries having publications available for exchange which are not already mentioned in the *Handbook* are requested to send details to the Unesco Clearing House for Libraries. As space permits, the information will be published in this section of the *Bulletin*.

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ANGOLA

(542) SERVIÇO METEOROLOGICO DE ANGOLA, Diogo Cão 20, C.P. 1228, Luanda,

Offers the following publications in exchange for publications on meteorology, geophysics (including seismology), astronomy, geography (especially African territories south of the Sahara):

Bibliografia meteorológica e geofísica de Angola. Carreto, A. F. *O Problema da precipitação artificialmente provocada.*

Contribuição para o I Congresso dos Economistas Portugueses.

Gama Vieira, A. da. *A Seoção de geofísica do Serviço Meteorológico de Angola.*

Lista das publicaçoes entradas na biblioteca do S.M.A., monthly.

Observações meteorológicas de superfície em Angola, annual, 1953 onwards.

Portugal, J. B. de. *Assistência meteorológica e geofísica às actividades económicas de Angola.*

—. *Introdução ao estudo das Correntes de Jacto.*

Queiroz, D. X. de. *Valores médios mensais e anuais representativos de elementos climáticos em Angola.*

—. *Variabilidade das chuvas em Angola.*

Tabelas diversas para 1956 (*marés, dados astronómicos*, etc.), annual.

See also 'Exchange', vol. X, no. 2-3, item 146.

CHINA (REPUBLIC OF)

(543) TAKAU MEDICAL COLLEGE LIBRARY, Kaohsiung, Taiwan,

Offers the following publications in exchange for medical publications:

Alumni of the University of Takau.

Contributions from the University of Takau (scientific publications).

(544) TUNGHAI UNIVERSITY LIBRARY, Taichung, Taiwan,

Offers the works of professors of the university in exchange for publications on all subjects, except medicine.

(545) TAIWAN PROVINCIAL COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, Taiwan,

Offers the following publications in exchange for publications on social sciences, pure and applied sciences:

Architecture today.

Catalogue of Taiwan College of Engineering.

Chemical news.

Journal of the Institute of Civil Engineering.

Journal of the Institute of Electrical Engineering.

Journal of the Institute of Mechanical Engineering.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA

(546) FONETICKÝ ÚSTAV, Filologické Fakulty Karlovy University, 2 Nám. Krasnoarmějců, Praha,

Offers the following publications in exchange for publications on phonetics in general and their practical application, diction, elocution, theatre, sound films, etc.:

Daneš; Hála; Jedlička-Romportl. *O mluveném slově* (On speech).

Hála. *Fonetika polštiny* (Polish phonetics).

—. *Mluva ve zvukovém filmu* (Speech in sound films).

—. *Základy spis. výslovnosti slovenské* (Elements of Slovak phonetics).

Hála; Polland. *Artikulace českých zvuků v Roentgenových obrazech* (The articulation of Czech sounds according to X-ray photographs).

Hála; Sovák. *Hlas, řeč, sluch* (Voice, speech, hearing).

Mazlová. *Vyslovnost na Zábřežsku* (Pronunciation in the district of Zábřeh).

Ohnesorg. *Fonetická studie, o dětské řeči* (Phonetic study on children's tongues).

—. *Nástin fonetiky jazyka francouzského* (French phonetics).

Ohnesorg. *O mluvním, vývoji dítětu* (On the development of children's tongues).
Ohnesorg; Švarný. *Études expérimentales des articulations chinoises.*
Romportl. *Zum Problem der Töne im Kuo-yü.*
—. *Přízvuk, kvantita e melodie v nářečí na Jablunkovsku* (The accent, quantity and melody in Jablunkov dialect).

GERMANY (DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC)

(547) BIBLIOTHEK DER VETERINÄRMEDIZINISCHEN FAKULTÄT, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Hannoversche Str. 27/29, Berlin N4,

Offers for exchange its printed dissertations for the years 1919 to 1944.

INDIA

(548) INDIAN INSTITUTE OF CULTURE, 6 North Public Square Road, Basavangudi, Bangalore 4,

Offers the following publications in exchange for cultural publications in English:
Notes and news, quarterly, vol. 1, no. 1, July 1956 and future numbers. Describes the activities of the Institute in Bangalore during the preceding three months and gives news of its London branch.
Reprints (from the Institute's monthly organ, *The Aryan path*).
Transactions (24 published so far).

(549) INSTITUTE OF FISHERIES, 1014 Tahvildaron Ka Rasta, Jaipur City (Rajashtan),

Offers its booklet in Hindi entitled *Pisciculture* in exchange for books and periodicals on fisheries, zoology, botany and allied subjects.

POLAND

(550) GŁÓWNA BIBLIOTEKA LEKARSKA (Central Medical Library), Biuro Wymiany, ul. Chocimska 22, Warszawa,

Offers the following journals in exchange for medical periodicals in English, French, German, Italian, Russian and Spanish:
Acta physiologica Polonica, quarterly (summaries in a foreign language).
Acta Poloniae pharmaceutica, bi-monthly (summaries in a foreign language).
Farmacja Polska (Review of Polish pharmacy), monthly.
Folia morphologica, quarterly.
Medycyna pracy (Industrial medicine), bimonthly (summaries in a foreign language).
Nowotwory (Tumours), quarterly.
Otolaryngologia Polska, quarterly (summaries in a foreign language).
Pielęgniarka Polska (The Polish nurse), monthly.
Położna (The midwife), monthly.
Przegląd dermatologii i wenerologii (Review of dermatology and venereal diseases), bi-monthly (summaries in a foreign language).
Przegląd lekarski (Medical journal), monthly (summaries in a foreign language).
Służba zdrowia (Sanitary service), weekly.
Wiadomości lekarskie (Medical news), bimonthly.
Zdrowie publiczne (Public health), bimonthly (summaries in a foreign language).

Some 20 other titles of periodicals (nearly all with summaries in a foreign language) offered for exchange by the Central Medical Library are listed in the *Handbook on the international exchange of publications*, Paris, Unesco, 1956, 2nd ed.

SPAIN

(551) BIBLIOTECA DE LA DIRECCIÓN GENERAL DE MARRUECOS Y COLONIAS Y DEL INSTITUTO DE ESTUDIOS AFRICANOS, Paseo de la Castellana 5, Madrid,

Offers the following publications in exchange for publications on Africa:
Africa (monthly).
Archivos del Instituto de Estudios Africanos.
Publicaciones del Instituto de Estudios Africanos (printed catalogue on request).

TURKEY

(552) ANKARA ÜNIVERSITESI SIYASAL BILGILER FAKÜLTESI (Faculty of Political Science, University of Ankara), Ankara,

Offers the following publications for exchange:
Matthews, A. T. J. *Emergent Turkish administrators. A study of the vocational and social attitudes of junior and potential administrators*, 1955, 76 p. Publication no. 1 of the Institute of Administrative Sciences. Also in Turkish.
Müsterek Yayinlar Serisi. No. 1. *Arastirma el Kitabi*, 1956, 35 p.
—. No. 2. *XIX Asir Avrupasinda Anayasa Hareketleri*, 1956, 138 p.
—. No. 3. *Türkiye' De Bütcenin Hazirlanisi*, 1956, 61 p.

(553) ANKARA ÜNIVERSITESI TIP FAKULTESI KÜTÜPHANESI (Faculty of Medicine Library, Ankara University), Cebeci, Ankara,

Offers:

Acta medica turcica, vol. 1, nos. 1, 2; vol. 2, nos. 1, 2; vol. 3, nos. 1-4; vol. 4, nos. 1, 2; vol. 5, nos. 1-4; vol. 6, nos. 1-4; vol. 7, nos. 1-4 (1948-55).

Ankara Tip Fakültesi Mecmuasi, vol. 1, nos. 1-4; vol. 2, nos. 1, 2; vol. 3, nos. 1-4; vol. 4, nos 1-4; vol. 5, nos. 1-4; vol. 6, nos. 1, 2 (1947-52); vol. 7-8, nos. 1-4, 1955.

Requests:

American heart journal, vols. 33, 34, 1947; vols. 45, 46, 1953.

American journal of diseases of children, vol. 73, 1943 onwards.

American journal of obstetrics and gynaecology, vols. 61-68, 1951-54.

American journal of pathology, vols. 1-25, 1925-49.

American journal of psychiatry, all numbers for 1947, 1948, 1953-55.

American journal of public health, vol. 37, 1947.

American review of tuberculosis, vols. 41, 42, 1940; vols. 55-64, 1947-51.

Archives of pathology, vols. 43-45.

Bacteriological reviews, vols. 9-16, 1945-54.

British journal of cancer, vols. 1-8, 1947-54.

Excerpta medica: internal medicine, vols. 5-9, 1951-55.

Fortschritte der Neurologie-Psychiatrie, 1943-51.

Journal of biological chemistry, 1945-48, 1950.

Journal of clinical investigation, 1933-37.

Journal of immunology, vols. 55-63, 1947-49.

Journal of laboratory and clinical medicine, vol. 32, 1947.

Journal of nutrition, vols. 33, 34, 1947.

Journal of urology, vols. 69, 70, 1953.

Proceedings of the Society for exper. biology and medicine, 1947-50, 1954.

Surgery, gynaecology and obstetrics, vols. 92-99, 1951-54.

See also 'Free Distribution'.

UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS

(554) LEN. GOSUDARSTVENNAJA BIBLIOTEKA IMENI A. V. LUNAČARSKOGO (The A. V. Lunačarskogo State Theatrical Library), ul. Zodčego Rossi, Leningrad,

Offers the following publications in exchange for publications on the theatre, drama, ballet, opera, puppet theatre, theatrical scenery and costumes, stage equipment and installations, lighting, etc.

Annuaire des théâtres d'État de Pétrograd pour la saison 1918-1919, illustrated, large 8vo, 120-150 pages.

Ežegodnik imperatorskih teatrov (Yearbook of Russian Imperial Theatres), and supplements, 1892-1915.

UNITED KINGDOM

(555) NATIONAL LIBRARY OF WALES, Aberystwith,

Offers for exchange:

Annual report.

Bibliotheca Celtica.

Journal (2 times a year), together with its annual supplement, *Handlist of manuscripts.*

(556) COLONIAL OFFICE LIBRARY, Great Smith Street, London, S.W.1,

Offers for exchange the *Monthly list of official Colonial publications.*

URUGUAY

(557) BIBLIOTECA DE LA FACULTAD DE ODONTOLOGÍA, Universidad de la República, Gral. Las Geras no. 1925, Montevideo,

Offers its *Anales* in exchange for publications on dentistry.

YUGOSLAVIA

(558) SAVEZNI ZAVOD ZA PROUČAVANJE ŠKOLSKIH I PROSVETNIH PITANJA (State Institute for Educational Research), Dečanska 12/IV, Beograd,

Offers for exchange *Osnovni problemi obrazovanja odraslih* (Fundamental problems in adult education), May 1956, 53 pages, with a bibliography.

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Intérieur. Schweizer Zeitschrift für Raumgestaltung. Hrg.: Vereinigung Schweizer. Innenarchitekten. Zürich, Graf & Neuhaus; 3m.; 4to; Jan. 1954; 12 fr.

L'Œil. Revue d'art mensuelle. Lausanne, Av. de la gare 33, Sedo Lausanne S.A.; m.; 4to; Jan. 1955; 27 fr.

Der Reitsport. Offizielle Mitteilungen des Reitsportverbandes der Schweiz/Le Sport hippique. Bulletin officiel de la Fédération du sport hippique suisse. Bern, Postfach Mattenhof, Reitsportverband der Schweiz; irr.; 4to; Jan.-Feb. 1955; 10 fr. to members.

LITERATURE

Écrits. Revue mensuelle littéraire et artistique paraissant à Lausanne. Lausanne, 18*bis* Petit-Chêne, Paul Charmont; m.; fol.; Sept. 1954; 5 fr.

Novelle. Bern, Kapellenstr. 6, Zimmermann & Cie.; m.; 8vo; Feb. 1955; 16 fr.

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(559) UNESCO

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FIJI ISLANDS

(560) RAMAKRISHNA LIBRARY, Nadi,

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Bennet. *America* (In Gujarati).

Berwick. *Adi Tawamacala* (in Fijian).

Buli Hui Kahaniyam (in Hindi).

Dunayeva. *Collaboration of the nations* (in English).

Golt, Tom. *Samusta rashtra samsta* (in Gujarati).

Hoffmann. *Peace can be won* (in Gujarati).

Jagriti, Hindi weekly published at Nandi (back issues available).

Konstantinov. *Role of socialist consciousness in the development of Soviet society* (in English).

Krishnamurti. *Indo-China* (in Tamil).

Mulki (verse, in Hindi).

Pacific review, Fijian-English bilingual weekly published at Nandi (back issues available).

Sangam, Tamil monthly published at Nandi.

Sudaras Pag: Ram lakhan (verse, in Hindi).

Vivekananda high school times annual, 1953, 1954 (in English).

INDIA

(561) MEDICAL COLLEGE LIBRARY, Jabalpur, Madhya Pradesh,

Offers its duplicates free or in exchange for medical publications.

INDONESIA

(562) UNESCO SCIENCE CO-OPERATION OFFICE FOR SOUTH-EAST ASIA, Djalan Diponegoro 76, Jakarta,

Offers:

FAO Indo-Pacific Fisheries Council; Unesco Science Co-operation Office for South-East Asia. *Symposium on marine and fresh-water plankton in the Indo-Pacific, Bangkok, January 25th and 26th, 1954.* 111 p.

TURKEY

(563) ANKARA ÜNIVERSITESI TIP FAKÜLTESI KÜTÜPHANESI (Faculty of Medicine Library, Ankara University), Cebeci, Ankara,

Offers free duplicates of its medical publications (some 50 titles), all of which are in Turkish.

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UNITED KINGDOM

(564) EDUCATION COMMITTEE, County Hall, Beverley, East Riding of Yorkshire,

Offers free:

Essential English for foreign students (C. E. Eckersley), Books I and II, 27 copies available.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

(565) UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY LIBRARY, Gift and Exchange Section, Lexington, Kentucky,

Offers:

South Atlantic studies for Sturgis E. Leavitt, Washington, D.C., The Scarecrow Press, 1953, a collection of essays on Hispanic and Hispanic American themes, edited by Thomas B. Stroup and Sterling A. Stoudemire.